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STATE OF MONTANA

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

No. DA 09-0616

STATE OF MONTANA,

Plaintiff and Appellee,

LINDA KAPSA,

v.

Defendant and Appellant.



MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

COMES NOW, Joslyn Hunt, Chief Appellate Defender, and respectfully requests an extension of time until February 25, 2010, in which to prepare, file, and serve the Appellant's opening brief in the above-entitled matter. This is Appellant's first extension request for the opening brief. Opposing counsel has been contacted concerning this motion and does not object.

DATED this 20th day of January, 2010.

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I hereby certify that I caused a true and accurate copy of the foregoing

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